

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT "A" and **Petition for Extension of Time**

APPLICANT:

Karlheinz DORN et al.

EXAMINER: Greg C. Bengzon

SERIAL NO.:

09/881,492

GROUP ART UNIT: 2144

FILING DATE:

June 14, 2001

CONFIRMATION NO.: 7912

INVENTION:

"MEDICAL SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE BASED ON MICROSOFT

OLE/OCX AND AUTOMATION OR, RESPECTIVELY, ATOMIC"

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Petition

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents for a three month extension of time in the period of response for the Office Action dated January 13, 2005, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and are enclosing a check for the \$1020.00 fee so that the period of response is extended from April 13, 2005, to July 13, 2005.

Response

In response to the Office Action of January 13, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.

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